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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Wei Ming Hu et al.

Serial No.: 09/223,660

Filed: December 30, 1998

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR  
DIAGNOSTIC PRESERVATION OF THE  
STATE OF A COMPUTER SYSTEM

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**AFTER ALLOWANCE AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS**

**PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.312**

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Dear Examiner Vo:

We would like first to thank you for allowing this application. In the meantime, Applicants notice a typographical error in claims 1, 4, 10, 21, 25, 31, 44, and 50, and thus submit the after allowance amendment pursuant to 37 CFR 1.312 as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**